

DPD-2668-62
26 April 1962

MEMORANDUM FOR: Comptroller, DPD

SUBJECT : Close-out and Final Payment of Contract No. [REDACTED] with 25X1A5a1
25X1A5a1 [REDACTED], Project IDEALIST

1. This memorandum contains a recommendation submitted for concurrence of the undersigned. Such recommendation is contained in Paragraph 5.

25X1A5a1 2. Contract No. [REDACTED] provided for the development and production of a prototype helmet which would provide improved visibility and pilot comfort and would provide a replacement item for the Type MA-2 High Altitude Helmet without change of associated protective garments. The helmet was delivered on 10 June 1960 to EAFB. After field tests and evaluations at EAFB, the helmet was returned to the Contractor with comments and suggestions for improvement. The helmet was then submitted to Wright Air Development Center for tests on the electrically heated visor, which was found to be adequate. The helmet was then returned to the Contractor. At this time the decision was made by Headquarters that no further work was to be done on the helmet and by letter DPD-4488-61 dated 21 July 1961, concurred in by the CH/DB/DPD, the Contractor was so advised and requested to submit its final invoice and reports required by the contract, which reports have now been received.

3. In regard to closing out the contract the following reports are submitted herewith:

- a. Final Audit Report #975, DPD-1698-62, dated 20 March 1962.
- b. Final Billing in the amount of \$3,196.10.
- c. Statement of total costs incurred in performing the contract.
- d. Contractor's Release.
- e. Contractor's Assignment of Refunds, Rebates and Credits.
- f. Final Summary Report.
- g. Contractor's statement regarding inventions and patents.

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4. By concurrence to this memorandum the Chief, Development Branch, DPD, signifies that work under the contract was satisfactorily completed.

5. Concurrence in close-out and final payment of Contract No. [REDACTED] is recommended. When final payment to the Contractor is made, it is requested the Comptroller, DPD, notify the undersigned so our records may be closed accordingly.

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Chief, Contracts Staff, DPD

CONCURRENCE:

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[REDACTED]
Chief, Development Branch, DPD

27 April 1962
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